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for: APPLICATION APPARATUS AND METHOD

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- ☒ Specification, abstract and claims of 58 pages
- ☒ 7 sheets of [XX] formal drawings
- ☐ Declaration signed by the inventor(s)
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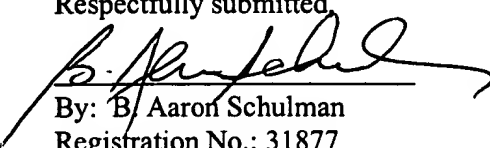
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